World Bank assistance for irrigation projects

156. SHRI SANTOSH BAGRODIA: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) what are the names of the irrigation projects for which India got aid from the World Bank between 1977 to 1988, year-wise; and

(b) whether there is any proposal pending with the World Bank for grant of assistance; if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRIMATI KRISHNA SAHI): (a) A statement is attached. (*See* below).

(b) The following projects are in the pipeline for Bank assistance: (i) Upper Krishna Phase-II Project; (ii) Narmada Sagar Project; (iii) Punjab Irrigation-II Project and (iv) Tamil Nadu Tank Modernisation Project. The details of these projects would be known only after the conclusion of the agreement with the World Bank.

Statement

Irrigation Projects for which agreements were signed with the World Bank for Financial assistance from 1977 *to* 1988

Financial Year	Name of the Project Credit/Loan Number
1977-78	1. Periyar Vaigai Irrigation Project (Cr. 720-IN)
	2 Orissa Irrigation Project (Cr. 740-IN)
	3. Maharashtra Irrigation Project (Cr. 736-IN)
1978-79	1. Gujarat Irrigation Project (Cr. 808-IN)
	2. Haryana Irrigation Project (Cr. 843-IN)
	3. Karnataka Irrigation Project (Cr. 788-IN)
	4. Punjab Irrigation Project (Cr. 889-IN)
1979-80	NIL
1980-81	1. Second Gujarat Irrigation Project (Cr. 1011-IN)
	2 Karnataka Tank Irrigation Project (Cr. 1116-IN)
	3. Second Maharashtra Irrigation (Cr. 954-IN)
	4. Mahanadi Barrages Project (Cr. 1078-IN)
	5. U.P. Public Tubewells Project (Cr. 1004-IN)
	6. M.P. Medium Irrigation Project (Cr. 1108-IN)
1981-82	1. M.P. Major Irrigation Project (Cr. 1177-IN)
1982-83	1. Kallada Irrigation & Tree crop Development Project (Cr. 1269-IN)/(Ln. 2186-IN)
	2. Subernarekha Irrigation Project (Cr. 1289-IN)

Financial Year	Name of the Project Credit /Loan Number
	3. Chambal (MP) Phase-II, Project (Cr. 1288-IN)
	4 U.P. Public Tubewells Phase-II (Cr. 1332-IN)
	5. Second Haryana Irrigation Project (Cr. 1319-IN)
1983-84	1. Maharashtra Water Utilisation Project (Cr. 1383-IN/Ln. 2308-IN)
	2. Orissa Irrigation-II Project (Cr. 1397-IN)
1984-85	1. Gujarat Medium-II Project (Cr. 1496-IN)
	2. Upper Ganga Modernisation Irrigation Project (Cr. 1483-IN)
	3. Periyar Vaigai Irrigation-II Project (Cr. 1468-IN/SF. 16-IN)
1985-86	1. Maharashtra Composite Irrigation Project (Cr. 1619-IN)
	2. West Bengal Minor Irrigation Project (Cr. 1619-IN)
	3. Narmada River Development (Gujarat) Water Development & Drainage Project (participating State Gujarat only)
	4. Narmada River Development (Gujarat) Sardar Sarovar Dam & Power Project (Cr. 1552-IN/Ln. 2497-IN) (Participating States Gujarat M.P. and Maharashtra)
1986-87	1. Second A.P. Irrigation Project (Cr. 1605-IN/Ln. 2662-IN)
	2. Bihar Public Tubewells Project (Cr. 1737-IN)
1987-88	1. National Water Management Project (Cr. 1770-IN)

Increase in Gold Smuggling

157 SHRI SATYA PRAKASH MALAVIYA: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that value of gold seized by the Customs authorities in 1985 and 1986 has increased by about five times over the value of gold seized in 1984;

(b) if so, whether this phenomenon indicates abnormally higher rate of smuggling of gold in this country; and

(c) what are the reasons for the sudden failure of the Government machinery to prevent gold smuggling?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EXPENDITURE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI B. K. GADHVI): (a) The quantity and value of gold seized during the calendar years 1984, 1985 and 1986 are given below:

Year	Quantity (in Kgs.)	Value (Rs. in crores)
1984 . . .	524	10.24
1985 . . .	2525	51.89
1986 . . .	2174	46.71

From the above figures, it is seen that the quantity and value of gold seized in 1985 was approximately five times more, and in 1986 approximately four times more than the quantity and value of gold seized in 1984.

(b) and (c) The smuggling of gold into the country being a calendestine acti-